

BICYCLE AND PEDESTRIAN ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES
Tuesday, September 7, 2021
Virtual – Teams Meeting

Attendance included:

| Committee Members | Staff | Guests |
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| Alyssa Boxhill, Chair Marien Hornyak Lesley McTaggart Phil Bowers Alderman Russell | David Edmondson | |

Chairman’s Report: Meeting Called to Order at 6:30

Announcements:

No announcements.

Approval of Minutes:

July 6, 2021 Meeting Minutes were tabled until the October 5, 2021.

Staff Review:

Crash Report

- Key Parkway/Belaire Lane
Alyssa asked if the details of this incident are spotty because it is still an active investigation.
- Opossumtown Pike Exit/Thomas Johnson Drive
Lesley stated it is frustrating that drivers do not look both ways.
- West 2nd Street/Fairview Avenue
Alyssa stated that in the report the skate boarder was listed as a pedestrian and asked if that is something that is a designation by the city. Is that appropriate in terms of interpretations of Maryland State Law?

Website Update

- Alyssa stated it is exciting to see progress being made on the site.

Project Updates

- Marien asked David if he could send an image of what the floating bus stops so they can have a better idea as to what they will look like.
- Marien asked if this would be county funds since it is a TransIT stop.

Bicycle-Pedestrian Plan Update

- Lesley asked what is being done to get the surveys out to the public and wondering if there are alternative ways for them to provide us their feedback.
- Lesley had an idea of using QR codes that we could post on park benches, bus stop signs or on the side of buses which is a link to the survey.

Committee Member Announcements or Comments:

- Lesley shared an image of E. Patrick and N. East Street where a wheelchair was going on to East Street and it could have caused an accident. She asked if anyone else has seen things like this. Lesley also stated she has seen the same type of thing on South Street. She asked if they wheelchairs are treated like bicycles or pedestirans?
- Alderman Russell stated that if anyone would like to share anything on the screen to send it to David prior to the meeting and he will be able to display for the team to see. She added that the state has its annual Consolidated Transportation Plan meeting which will occur on September 29, 2021 virtually. There will be a link if you want to watch or participate.
- Alyssa asked if the city or city transportation will have a table set up for In The Streets to distribute the Bike/Ped situation and good opportunity to pass out the surveys.

Public Comment:

- There was no public comment.

Motion to Adjourn:

- No motion to adjourn

Adjourned approximately 7:10 P.M.